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REPORT GUIDELINES

USE APPROPRIATE FORMATS AND RESOURCES

To take full advantage of their vehicles' advanced technology, digital platoons must use correct digital reporting formats.

NOTE: To allow the company/troop and task force to build a COP, digital platoons must submit digital SPOTREPs as soon as possible. When making initial direct fire contact with the enemy, the most expeditious method of alerting the platoon and company/troop is by a short, concise contact report. When the tank or platoon deploys immediately after sending the contact report, the platoon must forward a digital SPOTREP via FBCB2 using the far target locator. This digital report can be sent by the vehicle in contact or by a wingman who lases to the same target or a target nearby.

In addition, when they must operate with elements that are not digitally equipped, digital platoons must be prepared to take the following steps:

- Employ means of communications (such as FM voice and messenger) available to the platoon and the other elements.
- Prepare/send reports using analog formats outlined in this annex.

USE THE CORRECT TIME ZONE

Use the local time zone for all reports unless directed otherwise. The preferred time zone is PLGR time.

BLUE REPORTS (OPERATIONS)

BLUE-1 – SPOT REPORT (SPOTREP)

When used

The platoon sends a SPOTREP when crewmen observe enemy activity or suspect the presence of enemy elements, when they observe any characteristic of the area of operations likely to affect accomplishment of the mission, or when required by the OPORD. Always send enemy information in the clear. A SPOTREP takes priority over all other routine radio traffic.

(**NOTE:** Initial SPOTREPs are sent via FM voice.)

Format

State "SPOTREP" or "UPDATED SPOTREP," followed by pertinent information as shown in the following table.

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
A	Observer's ID.
B	Activity or characteristic being observed. Use the SALUTE format (see chart below).
C	Your actions or recommendations.
D	Self-authentication.

SALUTE format for reporting enemy information.

ELEMENT	DESCRIPTION	RADIO TRANSMISSION
Size	Number sighted	"NINE TANKS"
Activity	What enemy is doing	"MOVING, EAST"
Location	Grid coordinates	"BJ4096372"
Unit	Patches, signs, markings	"114TH GUARDS DIVISION"
Time	When activity was observed	"1100 HOURS"
Equipment	Associated with activity	"WEARING MOPP 4"

NOTE: Report the center of mass of identical, closely grouped items. Otherwise, report multiple grid coordinates of traces, using this format: "FROM _____ TO _____").

Example

"BLACK 6, THIS IS RED 1, SPOTREP, OVER. ONE BRDM, STATIONARY, ORIENTED SOUTH AT GRID MS289546; 1700 HOURS. ENGAGING WITH MAIN GUN, OVER."

BLUE-2 – SITUATION REPORT (SITREP)**When used**

The platoon sends a SITREP to a higher element following a SPOTREP to describe friendly actions in relation to enemy activity. SITREPs are also submitted daily at 0600 hours, after significant events, or as otherwise requested or directed by the platoon leader IAW the OPORD.

Format and example

State "SITREP," followed by pertinent information on the lines 1 through 8 as shown in the following table. The following status levels apply on Line 6 (personnel strength) and Line 7 (Class III and Class V supply status):

- **GREEN:** full strength; 90% or more fit for duty.
- **AMBER:** reduced strength; 80% to 89% fit for duty.
- **RED:** reduced strength; 60% to 79% fit for duty; the unit is mission-capable.
- **BLACK:** reduced strength; 59% or less fit for duty.

NOTE: If an item is reported as status level BLACK on lines 6 or 7, the appropriate yellow report (logistics) must follow.

LINE #	DESCRIPTION	RADIO TRANSMISSION
1	As-of date-time group (DTG)	"160815SMAY95"
2	Brief summary of enemy activity	"DESTROYED FOUR TANKS"
3	Friendly locations	"I SET QDI-BCONTVHL"
4	Operational combat vehicles	"FOUR"
5	Defensive obstacles	"NONE"
6	Personnel strength status	"GREEN"
7	Status of fuel (Class III) and ammunition (Class V)	"CLASS THREE BLACK; CLASS FIVE RED"
8	Summary of tactical intentions	"CONTINUING MISSION, OVER"

BLUE-2A – MODIFIED SITUATION REPORT (SITREP)**When used**

Like the regular SITREP, the modified SITREP is sent to a higher element to report contact and to describe friendly actions taken in response to enemy activity. The modified SITREP is also used to update information provided in previous reports IAW the OPORD.

Format and example

State "SITREP," followed by pertinent information on the lines 1 through 7 as illustrated in the following table. (**NOTE:** Refer to the previous discussion of the SITREP for explanations of the status levels reported on Lines 6 and 7.)

LINE #	DESCRIPTION	RADIO TRANSMISSION
1	As-of DTG (may be omitted if report applies to current time)	"160815SMAY95"
2	Immediate friendly action taken	"ENGAGING FOUR TANKS"
3	Enemy location	"HM 305982"
4	Enemy action	"STATIONARY, RETURNING FIRE"
5	Brief summary of friendly activity	"A SECTION SET AT ATK 3; B SECTION BOUNDING TO ATK 3"
6	Equipment/personnel status	"A24 BENT; PERSONNEL STATUS AMBER"
7	Changes in status for Class III and Class V	"CLASS THREE RED; CLASS FIVE BLACK"

BLUE-3 – CONTACT REPORT**When used**

The platoon uses a contact report to report initial enemy contact, usually at the same time it is returning fire and deploying.

NOTE: Digital platoons will send the initial Blue-3 report via FM voice. Once out of contact, a digital SITREP is sent to higher headquarters. The FBCB2 will generate a contact report and send it to the rest of the platoon and to the commander, XO, and 1SG. When the laser range finder is used on a threat target, an icon will appear on the FBCB2 display showing the exact grid location of the target.

Format

The contact report consists of these lines:

- Platoon color and/or call sign of the observer.
- The word “CONTACT.”
- Brief target description.
- Cardinal direction.

Example

“WHITE, THIS IS WHITE FOUR, CONTACT, TANKS, EAST, OUT.”

GREEN REPORTS (INTELLIGENCE)**GREEN-2 – SENSITIVE ITEMS REPORT (SENSEREP)****When used**

This report is sent daily at specified times (such as 0600 and 1800 hours) and after tactical operations (such as movement). The Green-2 is used to report results of a serial-number check of the following equipment:

- Weapons (machine guns, submachine guns, pistols, rifles).
- Protective masks.
- M8/M22 alarms.
- Radios.
- Digital system components.

- Night vision goggles and binoculars.
- Radiacmeters and dosimeters.
- ANCD.
- MBD.
- GPS and PLGR units.
- Special equipment assigned to the platoon for particular operations, such as crew-served night observation devices or mine detectors.

NOTE: Digital platoons may set the FBCB2 to automatically send Green-2 reports to the PSG, who then will send a rollup report to the 1SG/XO.

Format and example

State "GREEN-2," followed by pertinent information on the lines illustrated in the following chart.

LINE	DESCRIPTION	RADIO TRANSMISSION
Line ALPHA	Reporting unit	"WHITE"
Line BRAVO	Results of sensitive items check	"DOWN ONE BINO"
Line CHARLIE	Initials of person sending report	"I AUTHENTICATE, ABG, OVER"

NOTE: Use the term "UP" if all sensitive items are accounted for after the inventory. Use "DOWN" for a missing sensitive item, followed by the quantity missing and the name of the item.

GREEN-5 – MEACONING, INTRUSION, JAMMING, AND INTERFERENCE (MIJI) REPORT

When used

Whenever reception of radio signals is hindered, confused, or prevented as a result of any type of disruption, the radio operator first follows unit SOP

to confirm that the disruption results from an external signal (refer to Annex G of this SOP for contingency plans covering loss of communications).

Format and example

To send this report, state "MIJI," followed by pertinent information on the lines shown in the following chart.

LINE #	DESCRIPTION	RADIO TRANSMISSION (NONSECURE)
1	Unit identification	"Q9H25"
2	Type of interference	"022 ENCRYPTED, LT ABC"
3	Location	"I SET KJ, I SEND BCVNMKGS"
4	"ON" time (DTG when interference started)	"17052"
5	"OFF" time (DTG when interference stopped)	"17382"
6	Equipment or operations affected by interference	"ONE RADIO"
7	Frequency/frequency range	"I SET FE, I SEND LJFSM"
8	Additional information	"MOUNTAIN TOP"
9	Authentication	"I AUTHENTICATE TANGO"

YELLOW REPORTS (LOGISTICS)

YELLOW-1 – EQUIPMENT STATUS REPORT (STATREP)

When used

Each TC sends a current Yellow-1 report to the PSG by messenger, voice, or digital means between 1200 hours and 1300 hours daily.

NOTE: Digital platoons may set the FCB2 to automatically send Yellow-1 reports to the PSG, who then will send a rollup report to the 1SG/XO.

Designators

Use the following designators to indicate operational status of equipment in the Yellow-1 report:

- **ALPHA:** operational.
- **BRAVO:** inoperative.
- **CHARLIE:** combat loss.

Format

Use line numbers shown in the appropriate tables, with the designators described above, to report equipment status.

Weapons

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
1	Bayonet knife, with scabbard, for M16A1.
2	Pistol, 9-mm, automatic, M9, or caliber .45, M1911A1.
3	Rifle, 5.56-mm, with equipment.
4	Launcher, grenade, 40-mm, single shot, rifle mounted, detachable, with equipment.
5	Machine gun, M2, caliber .50, HB.
6	Machine gun, 7.62-mm, light flexible.
7	Squad automatic weapon, M249.
8	Grenade launcher, 40-mm, MK19.
9	Submachine gun.
10	Machine gun, 7.62-mm, fixed M24OC RH feed F/FVS.
11	Launcher, grenade, smoke, screening, RP M250.
12	Mortar, 120-mm, on mount.
13	Command launch unit, AAWS-M.

NOTE: Lines 14, 15, and 16 are used as needed for additional weapons assigned to the platoon and/or vehicle.

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Vehicles and vehicle equipment

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
17	CFV, M3.
18	Carrier, 120-mm mortar, self-propelled (less mortar), M1064.
19	Carrier, personnel, full-tracked, armored, M113.
20	HMMWV, M1025/M1026.
21	Tank, M1-series.

NOTE: Lines 22, 23, and 24 are used as needed for additional vehicles and/or vehicle equipment assigned to the platoon and/or vehicle.

NBC equipment

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
25	Alarm, chemical agent, automatic, portable, for full-tracked APC and ARV.
26	Alarm, chemical agent, automatic, portable, with power supply, for track, utility, 1/4-ton.
27	Charger, radiac detector, PP-1570/PD.
28	Mask, chemical-biological, multipurpose.
29	Radiacmeter, IM-185/UD.
30	Alarm, chemical agent, automatic, portable, manpack.
31	Radiacmeter, IM-93/UD.
32	Radiacmeter, IM-174/PD.
33	Radiacmeter, AN/VDR-1.

NOTE: Lines 34, 35, and 36 are used as needed for additional NBC equipment assigned to the platoon and/or vehicle.

Radios

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
37	Radio set, AN/GRC-125.
38	Radio set, AN/VRC-87A.
39	Radio set, AN/VRC-87C.
40	Radio set, AN/VRC-88A.
41	Radio set, AN/VRC-89A.
42	Radio set, AN/VRC-89F.
43	Radio set, AN/VRC-92F.
44	Radio set, AN/PRC-119 (manpack).
45	Radio set, AN/VRC-12 or AN/VRC-92A.
46	Secure set, AN/PRC-91.
47	Secure set, AN/PRC-126.
48	Secure set, AN/CYZ-10.
49	EPLRS.

NOTE: Lines 50, 51, and 52 are used as needed for additional radios assigned to the platoon and/or vehicle.

Miscellaneous equipment

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
53	Demolition set, explosive, initiating, nonelectric.
54	Detecting set, mine, portable, metallic and nonmetallic.
55	Detecting set, mine, portable, metallic, AN/PSS-11.
56	Night vision goggles, AN/PVS-7.
57	Night vision sight, crew-served weapon, AN/TVS-5.
58	Night vision sight, individual-served weapon, AN/PVS-4.
59	PEWS, AN/TRS-2(V).
60	Binoculars, modular construction, military scale reticle, 7x50-mm, with equipment.
61	Telescope, straight, military.

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62	Detector, radar signal, AN/PSS-10.
63	Position locating/reporting system, basic user unit.
64	Position locating/reporting system, surface vehicle installation kit.

NOTE: Lines 65, 66 and 67 are used as needed for additional radios assigned to the platoon and/or vehicle.

Example

"THIS IS RED 3. YELLOW ONE. LINE 12: ALPHA. LINE 33: BRAVO. LINE 38: CHARLIE. LINE 55: CHARLIE. OVER."

YELLOW-2 – AMMUNITION STATUS REPORT

When used

This report is transmitted once daily at 1300 hours or immediately upon completion of enemy contact.

Format

Use the following status codes to report ammunition status in this report:

- **GREEN:** 90% or more on hand, all ammunition types.
- **AMBER:** 80% to 89% on hand, all ammunition types.
- **RED:** 60% to 79% on hand, all ammunition types.
- **BLACK:** 59% or less on hand, all ammunition types.

NOTE: BLACK status in a Yellow-2 report signals a requirement for immediate resupply. The PSG consolidates Yellow-2 reports from all TCs and forwards a Yellow-2A report to the XO/1SG.

YELLOW-2A – AMMUNITION REQUEST

Format

To submit a Yellow-2A report, request the required quantity of each type of ammunition using the line numbers shown in the following table.

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
1	Report as-of DTG.
2	120-mm, APFSDS.
3	120-mm, HEAT-MP.
4	105-mm, HEAT.
5	105-mm, HEP.
6	105-mm, APERS.
7	105-mm, WP.
8	105-mm, APDS.
9	40-mm, HEDP.
10	Caliber .50 (M85).
11	Caliber .50 (M2).
12	MPAT (M830A1)
13	7.62-mm (coax).
14	120-mm, HE with fuze.
15	120-mm, WP with fuze.
16	120-mm, illumination with fuze.
17	81-mm, HE with fuze.
18	81-mm, WP with fuze.
19	81-mm, illumination with fuze.
20	Fuze, prox (120-mm).
21	Fuze, PD (120-mm).
22	Fuze, prox (81-mm).
23	Fuze, PD (81-mm).
24	Fuze, blast, time.
25	Blasting cap, nonelectric.
26	Fuze, igniter.
27	5.56-mm, ball.
28	5.56-mm, tracer.
29	5.56-mm, link.
30	Grenade, fragmentation.

31	Grenade, smoke.
32	Grenade, thermite.
33	Grenade, 40-mm, HE.
34	Grenade, 40-mm, WP.
35	Grenade, 40-mm, AP.
36	Cartridge, caliber .45, ball.
37	Cartridge, 9-mm, ball.
38	Javelin.
39	Dragon.
40	TOW.
41	Stinger missile.
42	Mine, AT.
43	Mine, AP.
44	Mine, Claymore.
45	25-mm, HE.
46	25-mm, AP.

NOTE: Lines 47, 48, and 49 are used as needed for additional ammunition requirements and spares.

NOTE: All Yellow-2A requests are for the quantity of ammunition required by the platoon unless otherwise specified.

NOTE: When sending a Yellow-2A report, use only the lines required for specific requests. Use additional lines (beginning with Line 47) to request any other types of ammunition required by the platoon. Attached units should coordinate with the S4 for additional line numbers for their ammunition requirements.

Example

"BLACK 7, THIS IS RED 4. YELLOW TWO ALPHA, BREAK. LINE 1: 091100 GHJ _____. LINE 2: 20. LINE 11: 1,000."

YELLOW-3 – POL STATUS REPORT

When used

This report is sent twice daily or as required.

Format

Use the following status codes to report the platoon's POL status:

- **GREEN:** 90% or more of the required quantity on hand.
- **AMBER:** 80% to 89% on hand.
- **RED:** 60% to 79% on hand.
- **BLACK:** 59% or less on hand.

Example

"BLACK 7, THIS IS RED 4. YELLOW THREE, AMBER, OVER."

YELLOW-3A – POL REQUEST

Format

Request the required quantity of each type of POL product using the line numbers shown in the following table.

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
1	Report as-of DTG.
2	MOGAS (gal).
3	JP-8 or diesel, as applicable (gal).
4	Oil, OE-10 (gal).
5	Oil, OE-30 (gal).
6	Oil, OE-50 (gal).
7	Oil, OE-90 (gal).
8	Antifreeze (gal).
9	Brake fluid (gal).
10	Hydraulic fluid, OHA (qt).
11	Hydraulic fluid, OHT (qt).
12	Hydraulic fluid, FRH (qt).
13	Oil, penetrating (qt).
14	Oil, PL-special (qt).
15	Oil, PL-medium (qt).
16	Bore cleaner (gal).
17	Oil, LSA (qt).
18	Grease, GAA (lb).
19	Grease, wheel bearing (lb).
20	Solvent (gal).
21	Oil, turboshaft (qt).

NOTE: Additional lines (beginning with Line 22) are used to request any other POL products required by the platoon or attached elements.

Example

"BLACK 7, THIS IS RED 1. YELLOW THREE ALPHA, BREAK. LINE 1: 112000Z NOVEMBER. LINE 3: 900. LINE 18: 15."

NOTE: TCs can use the following chart to make a quick computation of the fuel remaining in his vehicle's tanks, for use in submitting the Yellow-3A report. The driver provides the levels in the fuel tanks from his instrument panel in the following order: right front, left front, rear. As an example, the driver reports the fuel tank levels as follows: "ONE-HALF. THREE-QUARTERS. ONE-HALF." To use the chart, the TC moves down the "RIGHT FRONT" column to "1/2". Staying in that block, he moves to the "3/4" line in the "LEFT" column, then across to the block in the "1/2" column in the "REAR" portion of the chart. This figure shows how much fuel remains in the tanks. In this example, the amount remaining is 277 gallons.

		REAR				
	RIGHT FRONT	LEFT	E	1/4	1/2	3/4
						F
E		EMPTY	0	62	124	186
		1/4	26	88	150	212
		1/2	52	114	176	238
		3/4	78	140	202	264
		FULL	107	169	231	293
1/4		EMPTY	38	100	162	224
		1/4	64	126	188	250
		1/2	90	152	214	276
		3/4	116	178	240	302
		FULL	145	207	269	331
1/2		EMPTY	75	137	199	261
		1/4	101	163	225	287
		1/2	127	189	251	313
		3/4	153	215	277	339
		FULL	182	244	306	368
3/4		EMPTY	112	174	236	298
		1/4	138	200	262	324
		1/2	164	226	288	350
		3/4	190	252	314	376
		FULL	219	281	343	405
FULL		EMPTY	150	212	274	336
		1/4	176	238	300	362
		1/2	202	264	326	388
		3/4	228	290	352	414
		FULL	257	319	381	443

GREEN 401-505	RED 201-300
AMBER 301-400	BLACK 0-200

Class III (fuel) resupply matrix (fuel remaining in tanks).

RED REPORTS (PERSONNEL)

RED-2 – PERSONNEL BATTLE LOSS REPORT

When used

The following considerations apply in preparation of the Red-2 report:

- A Red-2 report is transmitted to the task force or troop TOC as casualties occur.
- The PSG must also complete DA Form 1156, with witness statements, and DA Form 1155 and submit them to the 1SG.
- Red-2 is used as an interim report to update information sent in the last Red-1 report.

Format

Provide all pertinent information using the line numbers shown in the following table.

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
1	Battle roster number.
2	DTG of the incident.
3	Location of the incident (encoded).
4	Type of casualties, encoded by letter as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALPHA: KIA, hostile action. • BRAVO: KIA, nonhostile action. • CHARLIE: Body recovered. • DELTA: Body not recovered. • ECHO: Body identified. • FOXTROT: Body not identified. • GOLF: MIA. • HOTEL: Captured. • INDIA: WIA, slight, hostile action. • JULIET: WIA, serious, hostile action. • KILO: WIA, slight, nonhostile action. • LIMA: WIA, serious, nonhostile action. • MIKE: Accident.
5	Location to which casualties are evacuated.

RED-3 – MEDICAL EVACUATION REQUEST

When used

The platoon uses a Red-3 report to request MEDEVAC support. It sends the report to the medical team on the company/troop command net IAW the OPORD.

NOTE: Digital platoons can input MEDEVAC settings into the FBCB2 system. Urgent MEDEVAC requests are sent via FM voice.

NOTE: Following the summary of the nine-line MEDEVAC request format, illustrations on pages 150 through 152 show MEDEVAC marking procedures and provide a graphic depiction of the request format.

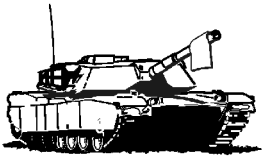
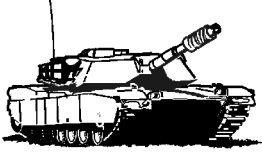
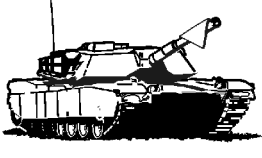

Format

Provide all pertinent information using the line numbers shown in the following table.


LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
1	Grid coordinates for pickup location.
2	Unit frequency, call sign, and/or suffix.
3	Number of patients by precedence, using the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Urgent. • Urgent/surgical. • Priority.
4	Special equipment, including the following types: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aircraft rescue hoist. • Jungle/forest penetrator. • Semirigid litter. • Stokes basic litter. • Kendrick extraction device. • Jaws of life device.
5	Number of patients, by type as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • L: Litter required. • A: Ambulatory.

NOTE: After Lines 1 through 5 have been transmitted, the MEDEVAC aircraft can take off. The MEDEVAC request continues with Line 6 when possible.

LINE #	INFORMATION/ITEM TO BE REPORTED
6	<p>In wartime, Line 6 is used to report the enemy situation using the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N: No enemy in area. • P: Possible enemy area. • E: Enemy in area. • X: Enemy in area; escort required. <p>In peacetime, Line 6 is used to report types of injuries, including the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gunshot wound. • Broken bones. • Illness or disease.
7	<p>Method of marking the pickup site as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A: VS-17 panel. • B: Pyrotechnics. • C: Smoke. • D: None. • E: Other.
8	Nationality and status of patients (specify military or nonmilitary).
9	<p>NBC/terrain considerations. Specify whether NBC contamination is present at the pickup site as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Y: Yes. • N: No. <p>Provide a description of terrain at the pickup site.</p>

Medical Evacuation	
	<p>Litter Urgent: VS-17 panel hanging vertically from gun tube. Upon evacuation, remove VS-17.</p>
	<p>Litter Priority: VS-17 panel wrapped horizontally around gun tube. Upon evacuation, remove VS-17.</p>
	<p>Walking Wounded WIA: VS-17 panel (triangle shape) attached to gun tube.</p>
	<p>Dirty Casualty: Include yellow gunnery flag.</p>

MEDEVAC marking procedures.

 Medical Evacuation / Aero Medical MEDEVAC	
MEDEVAC FREQ:	
Line 1	Grid
Line 2	Unit Frequency, Call Sign, Suffix
Line 3	Number of Patients by Precedence: Urgent - Urgent / Surgical Priority
Line 4	Special Equipment: Aircraft Rescue Hoist Jungle/Forest Penetrator Semi-Rigid Litter Stokes Basic Litter Kendrick Extraction Device Jaws of Life
Line 5	Number of Patients by Type: L = Litter A = Ambulatory
<small>Note: Once Complete With Lines 1 through 5, the MEDEVAC can FLY. Continue next page when you can.</small>	

MEDEVAC request format (Lines 1 through 5).

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MEDEVAC FREQ:			
Line 6	<i>If in Wartime:</i> N = No Enemy in Area P = Possible Enemy in Area E = Enemy in Area X = Enemy in Area, Escort Required <i>If in Peacetime:</i> (Type of Injury) Gunshot Broken Bones Illness, etc.		
Line 7	<i>Method of Marking Site:</i> A = VS-17 B = Pyro C = Smoke D = None E = Other		
Line 8	<i>Patient Nationality and Status</i> (Military/NonMil):		
Line 9	<i>NBC Contamination:</i> Y = Yes N = No Description of Terrain at Pick Up Site		

MEDEVAC request format (Lines 6 through 9).

NBC REPORTS

PURPOSE, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND PROCEDURES

Purpose

The platoon uses NBC reports to provide the TOC with accurate and timely information on all shelling and NBC activity within the area of operations.

NOTE: Digital platoons use their FBCB2 systems to expedite the NBC reporting process.

NOTE: Digital platoons input NBC report settings into the FBCB2 during the preparation phase before operations begin.

Responsibilities

The battalion/squadron S3 is responsible for collecting, monitoring, and distributing shelling and NBC information. The chemical officer and chemical NCO are responsible for evaluating NBC reports, formulating NBC reports for lower and higher units, and recommending courses of action to the commander.

Reporting procedures

All shelling and NBC reports are forwarded to the TOC over the command net.

NBC-1 – OBSERVER'S INITIAL REPORT

State "NBC ONE" and give the type of NBC incident (nuclear, biological, or chemical). Other information that may be sent includes precedence of the report, date and time of the report (ZULU time), and security classification with "from" and "to" times the classification is applicable. The following table summarizes the information to be included on each line of the NBC-1 report for nuclear, biological, and chemical incidents.

NOTE: **Do not delay reports** in an attempt to provide complete format information. Omit information that is not applicable or available. Items that must always be reported are the type of report; lines B, D, and H; and either line C or line F.

NOTE: Carefully specify the units of measure used (such as degrees, mils, or grid azimuth).

LINE	NUCLEAR	CHEMICAL	BIOLOGICAL
B	Position of observer	Position of observer	Position of observer
C	Direction of attack from observer, including unit of measure	Direction of attack from observer, including unit of measure	Direction of attack from observer, including unit of measure
D	Date-time of detonation	Date-time of start of attack	Date-time of start of attack
E	Illumination time	Date-time of end of attack	Date-time of end of attack
F	Location of area attacked	Location of area attacked	Location of area attacked
G	Means of delivery	Means of delivery	Means of delivery
H	Type of burst	Type of agent, burst, persistency	Type of agent, burst, persistency
J	Flash-to-bang time	NA	NA
L	Cloud width @ H+5 minutes (in degrees or mils)	NA	NA

NBC-4 – NBC HAZARDS BY RECONNAISSANCE, MONITORING, AND SURVEY RESULTS

The NBC-4 report is used to provide information on contamination detected as a result of monitoring, survey, or reconnaissance activities. It is submitted immediately after any type of contamination is detected and thereafter as required by the OPORD. State "NBC FOUR," followed by pertinent information as shown in the following chart.

NOTE: Repeat lines H, Q, and S as often as necessary to report a chemical hazard. Repeat lines Q, R, and S as often as necessary to report a nuclear hazard. Radiation dose rates ideally are measured in the open, one meter above the ground; if the rate must be measured in a shielded location, it is converted (as accurately as possible) to a rate equivalent to one taken in the open.

LINE	NUCLEAR	CHEMICAL	BIOLOGICAL
H	Type of burst	Type of agent, burst, persistency	Type of agent, burst, persistency
Q	Location of reading	Location of detection and type (such as liquid)	Location of detection and type (such as liquid)
R	Dose rate or decay exponent (in cGy/hour)	NA	NA
S	Date-time of Reading	Date-time contamination was detected	Date-time contamination was detected

DIGITAL REPORTS

The following discussion provides an explanation of how digital platoons use their FBCB2 systems to assist in timely, accurate reporting. Included are illustrations showing FBCB2 report screens for sample situations.

DIGITAL BLUE-1 REPORT (SPOTREP)

The digital Blue-1 report is sent to the entire platoon and company/troop when contact occurs. The digital SPOTREP is mandatory when the platoon is equipped with FBCB2. The best way to send this report is by using the far target locator. In addition, if approved by the platoon leader, a call for fire can be requested simultaneously with the Blue-1. Refer to the following illustration.

Digital Blue-1 report (SPOTREP).

DIGITAL BLUE-2 (SITREP)

The digital SITREP is sent twice daily to the PSG (for example, at 0600 and 1800) or as necessary during tactical situations. The criteria for each category (GREEN, AMBER, RED, and BLACK) are the same as in analog SITREPs; refer to the discussion earlier in this annex. Each vehicle will send the Blue-2 to the platoon leader and PSG for consolidation. The PSG will forward the consolidated report to the company/troop commander, XO, and 1SG. Refer to the following illustration.

SALT	MEDEVAC	NBC 1	Fire Mission	Check Fire All	SITREP	
Self		Unit				
Self	Fuel	Mun	Pers	Eqmt	Unit	DTG
CDR-M2/1BN22IN	G	G	A	A	A	221036ZJAN2002
No messages sent this session.						
Send	Save	Long Form Message...	Close	Help		

Digital Blue-2 report (SITREP).

DIGITAL YELLOW REPORT

The digital Yellow report is a combination of the analog Yellow 1, 2, and 3 reports. When sending this report, all classes of supply are reported. Each tank sends this report to the platoon leader and PSG. The PSG consolidates this information and forwards a platoon rollup to the 1SG, XO, maintenance team chief, and medics. At a minimum, this report is sent once daily before 0900 hours. Refer to the following illustration.

221054ZJAN2002 R R 0 0 1 0 Grab Zoom View

LOG Report

Rollup Single

Current DTG: 221054ZJAN2002 CDR-M2/1BN22IN

Selected/Platform Unit: CDR-M2/1BN22IN

Class	Supply Item (Unit of Measure)	Comments...	On-Hand/ Operational Item Count	Authorized Item Count	Required Item Count
I	MEAL READY-TO-EAT INDIVIDUAL MENUS		36	48	12
III	TURBINE FUEL AVIATION JP8 (GALLON)		380	500	120
V	CARTRIDGE 120MM APFSDS-T M829A1 (EAC)		23	27	4
VII	TANK COMBAT FULL TRACKED: 120MM GUN		1	1	0

Rollup Select All Deleted All Create

Message Addressing... Send Save Print

Tailor CTLS... Redisplay Close Help

Digital Yellow report (logistics report).

DIGITAL RED-3 REPORT (MEDICAL EVACUATION REQUEST)

The digital Red-3 MEDEVAC request is sent to the PSG, 1SG, medics, and maintenance team. Refer to the following illustration.

221043ZJAN2002 R R 0 0 1 0

Grab Zoom View

Nav... --- (Auto Center)

FIPR 1... Top...

CDR-M2/1BN22IN

11SNV 81060 67769

F1 Map... F2 Filters...

F3 Combat Msgs... F4 Messages...

F5 Status... F6 Admin...

F7 Apps... F8 Help

1x 10:43

Combat Messages

SALT MEDEVAC NBC 1 Fire Mission Check Fire All SITREP

Pick Up Location: 11SNV 81069 65060 Map LRF

Amb Patients: 1 Ltr Patients: 2

Marking: Smoke MEDEVAC Priority: Urgent

Color: Red NBC Contamination Type: None

Security: Poss. Enemy Troop Radio Freq: Undefined Call Sign: Undefined

No messages sent this session.

Send Save Long Form Message... Close Help

Digital Red-3 report (MEDEVAC request)

DIGITAL NBC-1 REPORT (OBSERVER'S INITIAL REPORT)

The digital NBC-1 report is sent by Tank 2 on confirmation of contact with NBC weapons. If Tank 2 is unable to send the report, Tank 3 sends the report. The report is sent to the entire company/troop. Refer to the following illustration.

Digital NBC-1 report (observer's initial report).

DIGITAL OBSTACLE REPORT

The digital obstacle report is sent by the vehicle that can best identify the dimensions and type of the obstacle. The report is sent to the entire company/troop. Refer to the following illustration.

221047ZJAN2002 0 0 1 0 Grab Zoom View

Create: Obstacle Report

UNCLASSIFIED

Obstacle Report Data

Obstacle Control Designator: ENEMY

Obstacle Type: MINEFIELD - ANTI-TANK

Impact on Movement: DISRUPT

Obstacle Status: EXECUTED

Obstacle Location: 11SNV 8086 6307

Obstacle Location: 11SNV 8123 6325

Observer Identification: CVR-M2/1BN22IN

Observation DTG: 221047Z-----

Refresh

Obstacle Report Data

Obstacle Control Designator: ENEMY

Obstacle Type: MINEFIELD - ANTI-TANK

Impact on Movement: DISRUPT

Obstacle Status: EXECUTED

Effective Date/Time Data

Message Addressing... Save Save As... Delete

Send Print Close Help

Digital obstacle report.